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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

Hello,

As a concerned computer user, I would like to object to the proposed final judgment in United States v. Microsoft.

In my opinion, Microsoft has reaped the rewards of years of abusive, illegal, monopolistic practices, and is being let off with a light tap on the wrist. This proposed settlement will not end Microsoft's anti-competitive conduct and does nothing to effectively penalize the company for damage already done.

Only penalties commensurate with the extraordinary scale Microsoft's abuses-- including, possibly, the breakup of the company -- coupled with strong regulation to prevent further monopolistic practices will restore fairness and competitiveness to the Intel-compatible OS market.

Sincerely,

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